

Saint Michael Byzantine Catholic Church

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Holy Mystery of Reconciliation Available before/after liturgies.

Holy Mysteries of Baptism, Chrismation, & Eucharist Contact the parish office.

Holy Mystery of Anointing Contact the parish office.

Holy Mystery of Marriage Contact the parish office at least 8 months prior to wedding.

Religious Education Classes (ECF) Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m.

BryanTEEN Youth Group Parochial/Community activities; see Keri.

GCU Call Ed Stanko at 330-758-4190.

St. Michael's Civic Club Call Nick DuBos at 412-726-8527 or email him at nicholasdubos@gmail.com.

St. Michael Hall, 405 Robinson Road Contact parish office for rentals.

St. Michael Cemetery, Sanderson Avenue Call Jerry Shirilla at 330-534-9104.

Your Will Please be so kind as to remember St. Michael's in your last will and testament. Secure our future.

WEEKEND LITURGIES: Sat eve: 6:00 p.m. Sun: 11:00 a.m. **HOLIDAYS:** 6:00 p.m.

Prayer is Answering the Word of God

Isidore said:

'Anyone who wants to be always united to God must pray often and read the Bible often. For in prayer it is we who are speaking to God, but in the readings it is God speaking to us.'

'All spiritual progress is based on reading and meditation. What we do not know, we learn in the reading; what we have learned, we preserve by meditation. Reading the Bible provides us with a two-fold advantage. It instructs our minds, and introduces us to the love of God by taking our attention off vanities.'

'None can understand the meaning of the Bible if they do not acquire familiarity with it through the habit of Bible reading.'

Augustine said:

'Nourish your soul with Bible reading. It will prepare a spiritual feast for you.'

Jerome said:

'Anyone who is assiduous in reading the Word of God becomes weary while reading, but afterwards is happy because the bitter seeds of the reading produce sweet fruits in the soul.'

'Let us study while we are on earth that Reality which will stay in our minds also when we are in heaven.'

Defensor Grammaticus (ca. 7th century)



NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of the Holy Prophet Joel -- October 19th



Glory to Jesus Christ!
Glory Forever!
Slava Isusu Christu!
Slava Na Viki!



October 22 – Marcia Turocy
October 23 – Kayleigh Cruz

Church Attendance

Saturday 10/11 – **39** (6:00 pm)

Sunday 10/12 – **38** (11:00 am)

SAT., OCT 18

6:00 p.m.

(Vigil Sunday Divine Liturgy)

+Msgr. Victor G. Romza

(8th anniversary of passing 10.23)

requested by: Cutrone Family

SUN., OCT 19

11:00 a.m.

THE 19TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

+John +Marge Hudak

requested by: Daughter: Regina Rovnyak

(remembrance of 69th wedding ann. 9.8)



Home Traveling Vocation Icon Participant for October 19-25:
Erica Griffin

TUES., OCT 21

6:00 p.m.

ECF classes at St. Michael Hall



SAT., OCT 25

1:00 p.m.

Wedding Ceremony of
Erica Marie Griffin & James Alan Moland



(Vigil Sunday Divine Liturgy) – Fr. John Welch, celebrant

For The Parishioners

6:00 p.m.

SUN., OCT 26

11:00 a.m.

THE SUNDAY OF CHRIST THE KING

+Laura Testa

requested by: Regina Sferra

(remembrance of birthday 11.3)



Pray For The Homebound, Sick, Hospitalized, & In Recovery updated: October 17, 2025

RESIDING AT HOME – Bonnie Cohn, Michael Drotar, Geraldine Dubos, Greta Marks, Frank Phillips, Martha Swantek, Ed Tirpack.

The Inn at Ironwood (6699 Ironwood Blvd., Canfield, OH 44406) – Dorothy Leone.

Windsor House at St. Mary's (1899 W. Garfield Rd., Columbiana, OH 44408) – Anne Thomas.

McMurray Hills Manor (249 W. McMurray Rd., McMurray, PA 15217) – Rita Romza-Smochko.

Church offerings from Oct. 11 & 12, 2025

Sunday Offering....\$2,065.00

Loose Currency....\$25.00

Candles....\$81.00

Holydays....\$15.00

TOTAL: \$2,186.00



October 12th TOTAL:
\$70.00



Weekly Requirement to Meet Yearly Expenses			
Date	Collection	Required	(Shortage)
Oct. 12	\$2,186	\$2,850	(\$664)
YTD	\$96,742	\$116,850	(\$20,108)

Quote of the Week

"We are not asked merely to call ourselves Christians; we are asked to be Christians through our deeds."

- St. Ignatius of Antioch

Halloween Costumes

P	O	X	Z	L	T	W	X	L	S	K	E	L	E	T	O	N
Y	C	U	S	O	V	H	I	R	X	H	X	Z	U	U	M	T
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Y	A	G	R	A	N	G	E	L	M	P	G	D	N	M	Q	X
F	I	Y	U	C	W	U	B	E	I	Y	R	R	I	U	G	A
I	D	B	E	Y	R	K	C	R	E	P	V	O	K	W	A	P
R	E	S	W	P	W	I	A	E	B	B	Y	G	P	L	P	C
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M	Y	O	R	O	E	R	G	D	R	B	B	E	U	S	X	H
A	G	R	P	U	S	E	O	R	E	H	R	E	P	U	S	C
N	U	H	S	A	N	D	J	R	L	M	N	I	N	J	A	T
Z	C	L	O	W	N	I	Z	O	M	B	I	E	A	R	D	I
Q	H	F	Y	S	R	P	M	S	C	A	R	E	C	R	O	W
M	D	T	Z	K	T	S	A	A	B	E	C	D	C	C	F	Q

ANGEL	MUMMY	SCARECROW
CLOWN	NINJA	SKELETON
COWBOY	NURSE	SPIDER
DEVIL	PIRATE	SUPERHERO
FAIRY	POLICEMAN	VAMPIRE
FIREMAN	PRINCESS	WITCH
GHOST	PUMPKIN	WIZARD
MERMAID	ROBOT	ZOMBIE



Some Parish Statistics

Every year, I have to send information about our Parish to what's known as "The Catholic Directory." The Catholic Directory is an annual publication that provides comprehensive information on the Catholic Church, most notably the Official Catholic Directory (OCD) for the United States. It serves as an authoritative resource for contact information and lists details for clergy, parishes, diocesan offices, and various Catholic organizations like schools and hospitals. These directories are crucial for official use, helping to verify non-profit status, facilitating communication among church members, and providing statistical data for analysis.

I have to send in several statistics, such as baptisms per year, funerals per year, marriages per year, numbers in our ECF program, etc. Below is some current statistical information of our parish.

As of October 1, 2025, our St. Michael Parish, Campbell, has:

154 households who are registered at our church and are mailed out contribution envelopes. When it comes to attending Sunday Divine Liturgy (or Saturday vigil) at our church, out of the 154 households:

- 59 households are weekly attendees *(at least one or more from the household)*
- 12 households attend one weekend a month *(at least one or more from the household)*
- 15 households have attended once within the last 6 months *(at least one or more from the household)*
- 68 households have not attended in over 1 year or longer

Within this year of 2025 thus far, our St. Michael Parish, Campbell, has had:

- 2 Baptisms (Sacraments of Initiation)
- 1 Chrismation & Eucharist
- 5 First Confessions & Solemn Communions
- 0 Marriages *(one scheduled for next Saturday)*
- 9 Funerals of registered parishioners

Fr. Kevin

Civic Club meeting today

The St. Michael's Civic Club will have a meeting **TODAY, October 19th at 12:15 p.m.** in the Hall bar room. The club is open to any parishioner who wants to make a positive difference in the church and in the community.

St. Michael's patronal dinner on a Saturday evening

In celebration of our patronal saint, our Patronal Dinner will be on **Saturday, November 15th at 7:00 p.m.** The Dinner will be at our Hall following the Vigil Divine Liturgy. Enclosed in today's bulletin is the form to be filled out for the dinner. You can submit cash or check with your RSVP form. Pre-pay only.



Final Banns of Marriage

Erica Griffin and James Moland to be married at our St. Michael Church this Saturday, October 25, 2025 at 1:00 p.m.

Two parish community holiday projects begin

(1) Food drive collection

Our ECF students, in conjunction with the GCU, is sponsoring a food drive of non perishable foods and personal items for the Second Harvest Food Bank of the Mahoning Valley. Second Harvest Food Bank's mission is to solicit, store, and distribute food to hunger-relief organizations in Columbiana, Mahoning, and Trumbull Counties; and to provide education and advocacy. They believe that no one should go hungry, and we are dedicated to building a community food pantry that is accessible to all people. The GCU will donate \$500 in matching funds, so let's do good in bringing in items to reach over that amount.

(2) Toys for Tots

Our St. Michael Church, will once again this year begin a "Toys For Tots" drive. Through the gift of a new toy or book, Marine Toys for Tots programs bring the joy of Christmas and send a message of hope to America's disadvantaged children. You may bring an unwrapped new toy or book and place it in the cardboard box to donate to this cause. All donations will be picked up December 1st.



PACK THE VALLEY – a week from this Tuesday

On **Tuesday, October 28th from 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.**, at the United Way Center in Boardman, our St. Michael Church will be part of the over 140,000 meals that will be packed for families in need right here in the Mahoning Valley. Sign-up's are in the narthex and still need some more volunteers to help out. We need a team of about **10-14 volunteers** to lead a meal packing line. All supplies and training are provided—we just need willing hearts and helping hands! All participant's are required to sign a waiver. You may see Geri Romito for any further info.



Sympathy extended

+**LUCILLE M. ZUPKO PUHAK**, 87, of Brookfield, fell asleep in the Lord on Monday, October 6, 2025. She is the sister-in-law of Ed (Marge) Puhak. May God grant to His departed handmaid, +Lucille, blessed repose and eternal memory, vicnaja jej pamjat.



Election day Food/Bake Sale

Bakers and helpers are needed for the Election Day Kitchen Sales on **Tuesday, November 4th**. **HOMEMADE** sweets sell really well – big cookies, brownies, bar cookies, cakes, pies, etc. We would like volunteers who can work in the Kitchen for at least 1 two hour shift starting at 6:00 a.m.

Menu

Famous Home-made Halushki \$10/qt \$4/bowl
Hotdog with/without kraut \$2
Sloppy Joe sliders \$3
Breakfast bowl (sausage-eggs-potatoes) \$5
BBQ chicken or pepperoni flatbread \$5
Stuffed Shells with sauce \$6
Baked goods \$1-\$2
Pop/water \$1



Saturday Vigil Liturgy November 8th note

The Saturday Vigil Divine Liturgy on Saturday, November 8th will begin at 5:00 p.m., not the regular time of 6:00 p.m. This is for this Saturday only. All others will remain the normal time at 6:00 p.m. Please make a note of the change for this day.

Seminary benefit dinner

The 68th Annual St. Nicholas Celebration is **Sunday, December 7th** at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, Munhall, PA. If you would like to attend this year, please let our pastor know. Father is sponsoring 10 tickets, so 10 parishioners may attend.



Halushki profit from last sale

The profit for the Halushki sale on October 10th came in at: **\$670.00**.

Fire code inspection passed

Last Wednesday, the Campbell City Fire Chief, Stephan Dubic inspected our church and hall buildings and no violations were found. Remember, we all have to do our part to keep our church in tip top shape and put things back where they belong.

Trick or Treat Campbell hours

The time for Trick or Treat in Campbell is **5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. on Friday, October 31st**.



St. Michael Patronal Dinner
Saturday,
November 15, 2025

Feastday Dinner – 7:00 p.m.

Choice of:

*Stuffed Chicken Dinner or Stuffed Pork Chop Dinner
with wedding soup, potato, vegetable, dessert, drinks*

**option for kids if they want chicken fingers*

\$23 per dinner - \$8 per kid's option



2025 St. Michael Patronal Dinner RSVP

Name: _____

#Adults: _____ **#Children:** _____

#Chicken Dinners _____ **#Pork Chop Dinners** _____

#Children's meals (chicken tenders & mac&cheese) _____

TOTAL Payment Enclosed \$ _____

**Place form with payment in collection basket or you may
send it in by Sunday, November 9th – prepay only**

Checks made out to: St. Michael Church